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an amendment in the above-identified application (12 Pages)

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Responsive to the Office Action dated July 31, 2002, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the subject application:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend the following claims.

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1. Apparatus for notifying a called-but-busy party of an incoming telephone call attempt over a telephone line while the called-but-busy party is accessing the Internet over the same telephone line, comprising:

an Internet communication module; and

a message formatter;

wherein said Internet communication module is adapted to cause said message formatter to send a personalized notification message recorded by said remote telephone user to said called-but-busy party upon request from a remote telephone user.